

ENERGY AND CONSERVATION COMMISSION MEETING MINUTES

Monday, June 20, 2022, 3:00 p.m. ZOOM MEETING

ATTENDEES: Tim Erickson, Glenn Foy, Neil Kiner, Randy Hafer, Erin Robbins, Deborah Singer, Karen Stears, and Louis Engels

Guest: Carole Baumann

- 1. Approval of Previous Meeting Minutes tabled until July meeting.
- 2. **Public Comment** Carol Baumann with the League of Women Voters gave an update on the Water Conservation presentation held at the library. There is also a video of all the presentations on their Facebook page.
- 3. **Update on LEED Submission** The LEED for Cities was submitted 2 weeks ago and Glenn thinks we will hear mid-July from LEED on our score. Glenn stated that we probably have a mid-60 score, which would be the gold level. City of Billings Public Information Officer is ready for the LEED information and she will be invited to the July 11th meeting. Suggested there be a small meeting with the PIO before July 11th ECC meetings. Commission also needs to get on the City Council work session agenda to do an update on the LEED status.
- 4. **Grant Opportunities -** Karen is continually searching for grant opportunities. MET has applied for 4 electric buses. Karen will talk to First Student about the electric school bus grants. Airport will have a ribbon cutting on June 30 for 6 EV chargers that were installed. City of Billings applied for a BRIC Grant and will hopefully hear am answer in the next few weeks.
- **5. Commission Priorities -** Commission priorities and feedback from May 25, 2022 was discussed.

• Action item with PIO LEED info

Meeting adjourned 5:05